

TEXAS HISTORICAL COMMISSION

2015 Texas Independence Day Events

Atascosa County Historical Commission

Jose Antonio Navarro Exhibit

Location: Jourdanton Public Library

1101 Campbell Ave., Jourdanton, Texas

Date/Time: February 17th thru March 9th

Learn about Texas statesman and revolutionary, Jose Antonio Navarro, at this special exhibit.

Runnels County Historical Commission

Texas Historical Marker Dedication for the Town of Winters

Location: Winters Historic Park

120 N. Main Street, Winters, Texas

Date/Time: Saturday, February 28, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

Learn how the town of Winters fits into the story of Texas. Guest speaker will be THC Historian, Sarah McCleskey.

Gonzales County Historical Commission

Memorial Program

Location: Gonzales Memorial Museum

414 Smith Street, Gonzales, Texas

Date/Time: Saturday, February 28, 2015 at 10:30-11:30 a.m.

Commemorate Texas by participating in a memorial program.

Polk County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day Program

Location: "Old City Cemetery"

300 E. Polk Street, Livingston, Texas

Date/Time: Saturday, February 28, 2015 at 11:00 a.m.

Menard County Historical Commission

Jim Bowie and Texas Independence Program

Location: Presidio de San Saba, on Presidio Road and Highway 190 West

Date/Time: Saturday, February 28, 2015 at 2:30 p.m.

Discover how Jim Bowie links Menard County to the Alamo at this presentation and discussion.

Madison County Historical Commission

Celebrate Texas

Location: Madison County Museum

201 North Madison Street, Madisonville, Texas

Date/Time: Sunday, March 1, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

Explore the museum and enjoy refreshments.



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Walker County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day & General Sam Houston Birthday Celebration

Location: Gibbs-Powell House Walker County Museum, Oakwood Cemetery, Sam Houston Memorial Museum, and Sam Houston Statue and Visitors Center

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 beginning at 9 a.m. at the Gibbs-Powell House Walker County Museum

<http://www.walkercountyhistory.org/txind.php>

www.samhoustonmemorialmuseum.com

www.huntsvilletexas.com

Learn about Texas hero, Sam Houston, by attending a lecture at his grave. A full day of programming is scheduled.

Burnet County Historical Commission

Presentation of the Texas and U.S. Flags

Location: The Falls on the Colorado Museum 2001 Broadway Street, Marble Falls, Texas

Date/Time: March 2, 2015 at 10 a.m.

Enjoy light refreshments and take a tour of the museum.

Houston County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day Open House

Location: Historical Commission Office in the County Annex Building

401 E. Goliad St., Suite 100, Crockett, Texas

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 at 10:00 a.m.

Meet other history enthusiasts at an open house.

Wheeler County Historical Commission

Happy Birthday Texas

Location: Wheeler County Ag and Family Life Center

7939 US Hwy 83 North, Wheeler, Texas

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015

10:30 a.m. – 2:30 p.m.

Enjoy reenactments, examine period artifacts, and learn about state history.

Burleson County Historical Commission

Jose Francisco Ruiz-- A Dream of Independence

Location: Civic Center

SH 21 and Main St., Caldwell, Texas

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 12:00-1:00 p.m.

<https://www.facebook.com/pages/Burleson-County-Historical-Commission/156247117816214>

Come learn about Ruiz's role in Burleson County and Texas history.

Nueces County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day Toast

Location: Nueces County Courthouse

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 at 1:30 p.m.

Participate in the 29th Texas Independence Day celebration in Nueces County by toasting Texas at the county courthouse.



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Erath County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day Toast

Location: Bluff Dale School

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 at 2:00 p.m.

History students will give a presentation of the significance of Texas Independence Day before the school gives a toast to Texas with spring water.

Franklin County Historical Commission

Texas Independence Day Program

Location: Mt. Vernon Cultural Arts Center

100 Rusk Street, Mt. Vernon, Texas

Date/Time: Monday, March 2, 2015 at 7:00 p.m.

Sample heritage cuisine and stay for a program about quilts--general history, fabrics, patterns, and preservation techniques.

Calhoun County Historical Commission

Texas Declaration of Independence Reading Brown Bag Luncheon

Location: Calhoun County Museum

301 South Ann Street, Port Lavaca, Texas

Date/Time: Tuesday, March 3, 2015 at 12:00 p.m.

director@calhouncountymuseum.org

Come learn about history during a reading of the Texas Declaration of Independence.

Pecos County Historical Commission

Texas History Poster Contest & Field Trip

Location: 2nd and Spring Drive beside Hovey School and Historic Fort Stockton, Fort Stockton, Texas

Date/Time: Friday, March 6, 2015 at 1:00 p.m.

Texas history poster contest winners will be announced followed by a field trip for 7th graders.

For more information about each event, contact the County Historical Commission.

If your County Historical Commission is hosting an event that commemorates Texas Independence Day and you would like to be added to this list, please email the details to madeline.clites@thc.state.tx.us

